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NOTICE OF APPEAL

Dear Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals from the decision of the Examiner mailed September 3, 2008, finally rejecting Claims 1-8 and 14-26. Payment in the amount of \$540.00 for the Notice of Appeal fee specified in 37 CFR §41.20(b) is being submitted via EFS-Web concurrently with the filing of this paper.

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Respectfully submitted,

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